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Applicant: Hideki HIRANO et al. Conf.: 1052
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For: THERMOPLASTIC RESIN COMPOSITION HAVING
EXCELLENT SLIDING PROPERTIES

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR 1.116

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Sir:

In further response to the Office Action mailed February 9, 2004, the period for response now set to expire on October 9, 2004, due to the filing of a Notice of Appeal on July 9, 2004, the following remarks are respectfully submitted in connection with the above-identified application.

Claim 1 is amended.